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BRITISH BLOW FORCES ANOTHER HINDENBURG RETREAT

BERLIN SENDS PEACE OFFERS TO PETROGRAD

Russia to Get Back Provinces
Germany Captured, But Aus-
tria Would Hold Her Con-
quered Territory

(Associated Press by U. S. Naval Commu-
nication Service)
STOCKHOLM, Sweden, June 16.—The Social Demokraten, well-known Swedish newspaper, today publishes details of the latest German peace offer to Russia.

The details are contained in a deciphered telegram sent by Germany through Swiss diplomatic channels, to the Swiss minister in Petrograd, Switzerland transmitting the German offer. The offer promises restitution to Russia of the provinces captured by the Germans, and the establishment of a friendly understanding in regard to Poland, Lithuania and Courland, but Russia is to give Austria the provinces captured by the latter.

Hawaii Acts To Stay Ship Tonnage Loss

Food Commission Drafts Cable
to Be Sent by Governor
to Washington

What is the first active attempt made here to replace the loss in tonnage which Hawaii will suffer through the withdrawal for government purposes of the Matsun line? Manager J. H. Drew of Castle & Cooke's shipping department, which drafted a cable message to be forwarded by the governor to Secretary Lane and Delegate Kuhio at Washington.

Shortly before noon today the governor had not yet sent the despatches, but stated that he had the matter under consideration and was making efforts to determine what sort of cablegrams could properly be sent. He authorized the following statement: "The governor has the matter of replacing the tonnage of the Matsun and Matsun under active consideration and there will be no delay in trying to find the possible remedy."

"The governor says the necessary facts in order to send a proper cablegram have not yet been ascertained and until they are no despatch will go from his office."

To see if more definite information can be ascertained from the Matsun Navigation Company's main offices in San Francisco as to the exact dates on which the Matsun line will be taken over by the government for war purposes, Manager J. H. Drew of Castle & Cooke's shipping department, will cable to San Francisco tonight for details.

On the day after he received a cable from Capt. William Matsun, president of the Matsun line, informing him that the government intention taking over both steamers, E. D. Tenney, president and general manager of Castle & Cooke, wireless to the captain asking for further details. To date he has received no reply, so that much uncertainty exists among shipping and sugar men as to just when the boats will be commandeered by the government.

Some shipping men think that the words "Matsun will sail this trip," which closed Captain Matsun's message, do not necessarily mean she will be taken over when she completes her present voyage. They think it was simply a notification that the liner would sail on time.

CENTRAL FIGURE IN
PASSION PLAY CALLED
TO GERMAN COLORS

(Associated Press by U. S. Naval Commu-
nication Service)
OBERRAMERGAU, Bavaria, June 16.—Anton Lang, the man who won world-fame in taking the part of Christ in the Oberammergau Passion Play, has been called to the colors.

CHICAGO'S MAYOR BUYS
NO LIBERTY BONDS

CHICAGO, Ill., June 16.—Mayor William Hale Thompson so far has not subscribed to the Liberty Loan.

"Thrusts On The Cartoon Front" As Made By Poole



HAIG STRIKES TERRIFICALLY; ITALIANS GAIN

Trentino Campaign of Aus-
trians Failing; Japan Suffers
in Encounters With U-boats

The Associated Press today carried the news of another pending retreat of Gen. von Hindenburg's forces on the west, as the result of the terrific British drive in northern France. The war summary says:

"The British today are striking on the entire line in Northern France. The Germans are reacting feebly, their counter-attacks having little strength. "The situation is evidence that Gen. von Hindenburg, expecting a big blow, plans another withdrawal of his forces. "Corno Cavento, a strongly fortified position in the eastern Trentino section, was carried today by the Italians, who are advancing despite heavy Austrian counter-attacks."

BELGIAN MISSION TO U. S. ARRIVES

(Associated Press by U. S. Naval Commu-
nication Service)
AN ATLANTIC PORT, June 16.—The Belgian mission to the United States have arrived here.

SCHOONER AFTER FIGHT WITH SUBMARINE TOWED TO MEDITERRANEAN PORT

(Associated Press by U. S. Naval Commu-
nication Service)
WASHINGTON, D. C., June 16.—The schooner Helder has been damaged by shell fire in an encounter with a Teuton submarine, and towed into a port on the Mediterranean Sea. Announcement is made that all the crew and naval gunners and officers from the torpedoed oil tank steamer Petrolite are safe.

JAPANESE DESTROYER AND CARGO SHIP SUNK BY ENEMY SUBMARINES

(Associated Press by U. S. Naval Commu-
nication Service)
TOKIO, Japan, June 16.—While Japanese destroyers in the Mediterranean sea were attacking a submarine, the destroyer Sakaki was torpedoed and damaged, many of the sailors being killed.

Cablegrams to the Japanese press for two days have been telling of this battle in the Mediterranean, which was said to be a victory for the Japanese. Yesterday a cablegram to the Nippon Jiji said that 69 aboard the Sakaki were killed, including the captain and a lieutenant-commander, the destroyer being sunk.

Boston, Mass., June 16.—The Japanese steamer Tansan Maru, bound from Boston to Manchester, the English inland port, with a cargo, has been sunk by a submarine. Captain Nishikawa and 27 of the Japanese crew are believed to be lost.

The Tansan Maru (2443 tons) was owned by the Shō Shō Yoko Company, Uruga, Japan, and was built at Newcastle, Eng., in 1914.

FRENCH TRANSPORT SUNK WHILE UNDER ESCORT

(Associated Press by U. S. Naval Commu-
nication Service)
PARIS, France, June 16.—The French transport Annam has been sunk by a submarine in the Ionian Sea, between the Adriatic and the Mediterranean, while under naval escort.

The Annam (6075 tons), in the French transport service, was owned by the Messageries Maritimes of Marseilles. She was built at Copenhagen in 1919.

PERSHING OFFICERS STUDY WAR PROBLEMS

(Associated Press by U. S. Naval Commu-
nication Service)
PARIS, France, June 16.—The officers of the Pershing party have begun hard study of European war problems.

REVOLUTION PENDING IN SPAIN WITH PEOPLE OVERWHELMINGLY PRO-ALLY

The Associated Press in summarizing today's developments in Europe gives the following news of Spain's growing internal troubles: "Evidence is increasing that a revolution is pending in Spain, in which the army is implicated, over questions of internal reform. The masses are overwhelmingly pro-ally, whereas the aristocracy is pro-German."

JAPAN AND U. S. ARE APART

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 16.—Japan has imitated Great Britain in declining to associate with America in the diplomatic action taken by President Wilson, asking the Chinese to compose their differences. No reason is assigned for this, with the announcement, but it is supposed Japan felt such action would be unsuccessful. Evidently there is a series of misunderstandings between Japan and the United States.

LONDON, Eng., June 16.—The British foreign office writes that the government of Great Britain desires to express its sympathies with the principles enunciated by Secretary Lansing and its wish that everything possible to avert civil war in China may be done, but that nationally it must view the situation in the Orient from a slightly different viewpoint than the United States, and may find itself unable to do all that President Wilson desires.

RUSSIAN PEOPLE DEMAND WAR

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 16.—The department of state is giving much attention to the Russian situation. Reports say that the Council of Soldiers and Workmen, which is pacifistic in leanings, represents only five millions out of 180,000,000 of Russian people. The peasants, who are in the vast majority, and the businessmen are overwhelmingly in favor of a vigorous war.

USE OF JAPANESE LANGUAGE IN CABLE IS BARRED BY U. S.

(Special Cable to Nippon Jiji)
SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., June 16.—The request made to the United States naval authorities by the local Japanese commercial organizations that the use in the cable message of the Japanese language be permitted, has been turned down. The naval officials say that the use in the cable message of the Japanese language is not allowed. The foreign language of which use in communications is now permitted, are French and Spanish. Local Japanese are complaining against barring the use of their language, and say that the regulation imposes considerable hardship on them.

CAPT. CLARK HOST TO JAPANESE OFFICERS

Capt. George R. Clark, commandant at Pearl Harbor, was host yesterday at a Country Club luncheon in honor of Capt. T. Nitro and other officers of the Japanese cruiser now in port. Among local officials present were Governor Pinkham, Gen. Strong, Gen. Johnson, Consul Moroi, Vice Consul Mural, Maj. Clinton, Marine Corps, Lieut. Philcox, Lieut. Tilley, Maj. Dougherty and Dr. C. B. Cooper.

reason to believe it cannot be kept under control, he says. The two distinct cases seem to give more proof to the theory that the disease may be the result of a deliberate plot.

POLICE RAIDING N. Y. ANARCHISTS

(Associated Press by U. S. Naval Commu-
nication Service)
NEW YORK, N. Y., June 16.—The police today made a raid in force on headquarters here of Russian anarchists. A quantity of anti-draft literature was seized.

LINE-UP FOR POLO CHANGED

Oahu—Arthur Rice, Louis Beard, Harold Castle, Philip Rice.
Maui—Arthur Collins, Harold Rice, Frank Baldwin, James Spalding.
At the last moment a change has been made in the lineup for the polo match this afternoon at Kapiolani field, which begins at 4 o'clock. Arthur Rice, Louis Beard and Harold Castle have been drafted, and with Philip Rice will play under the Oahu colors. Maui in turn has drafted James Spalding, which should make a most exciting match.

Certificates of election were mailed today to Mayor Fern, Sheriff Rose and the seven newly elected supervisors by County Clerk David Kalanika.

U. S. Steamer Fights Diver

(Associated Press by U. S. Naval Commu-
nication Service)
AN ATLANTIC PORT, June 16.—An American vessel arriving here reports a fight with a submarine off Brest, France. Two torpedoes fired by the submarine missed the American steamer, and the naval gunners aboard the steamer returned the fire with ten shots, but believe they missed the diver.

SUGAR EXPERT IS STUDYING ISLES

Representative of Growers
Throws Light on Excise Tax
and Tariff Legislation

Paul J. Christian, Washington (D. C.) representative of the American Cane Growers' (Sugar) Association of the United States, is in Honolulu, making a general survey of the sugar situation in Hawaii and meeting leaders in that industry. He also represents the large rice interests in Louisiana and Texas, embracing most of the rice acreage on the mainland. Mr. Christian was formerly a newspaper man in New Orleans and is now an attorney. He has seen years of service in the national capital in the interests of cane sugar. At one time he was private secretary to Governor Murphy J. Foster of Louisiana and later acted in the same capacity when the governor went to the United States senate relative to the status of sugar interests in so far as action of Congress is concerned. Mr. Christian says:

"When Congress reconvenes in regular session the first Monday in December, it is generally believed that a revision of the tariff will be undertaken. As is always the case in legislation of this character, the sugar schedule will be one of the features over which a battle royal may be expected. The producers of both beet and cane sugar in the United States, recalling the struggle they recently went through to preserve their industry are preparing for the fray. Promises To Be Different "In one respect the coming legislation promises to be different from any of the revisions that have occurred since the Spanish American war. The suggestion at Washington that is now causing most concern in sugar circles is the contemplated excise tax. "The idea of singling out a staple crop for purposes of the excise is not new. Shortly after the close of the civil war, and before civil rights were completely restored in the South, the northern group of states through congressional enactment, imposed an excise tax on cotton, the principal agri-

TWO ARE ARRESTED ON CHARGE OF PROCURING LIQUOR FOR SOLDIERS

U. S. Marshal and Police Make
Arrest; \$1000 Bond Re-
quired of Prisoners

Bond in the sum of \$1000 was fixed by U. S. Commissioner George S. Curry today in the cases of P. Rodriguez and Garcia Desario who were arrested last night by Marshal J. J. Smiddy and a police officer, respectively, on a charge of selling liquor to enlisted men in uniform. Desario was turned over to the federal authorities this morning. A preliminary hearing of one of the cases will be held at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon, the other to be heard the following day. It is understood that Rodriguez has admitted the sale and may waive examination, in which case he will be bound over to the federal grand jury. Marshal Smiddy, who was making a quiet investigation around saloons last night, says he caught Rodriguez in the act of turning over a dozen bottles of

beer to three soldiers and immediately placed him under arrest. One of the soldiers told the marshal, the latter asserted, that he had given Rodriguez \$3 to purchase the beer, Rodriguez keeping 60 cents as commission. The marshal says he took Rodriguez to the Aala Saloon, where the bartender identified him as having purchased the dozen bottles of beer a few moments before.

"It will be the policy of this office to prosecute all violations such as this," declares District Attorney S. C. Huber, "and we certainly shall hold that sales made in this way are flagrant violations of the law."

W. H. Hutton, liquor license inspector, said today that he has evidence of at least 40 sales of liquor to soldiers by civilians within the last few days. The men arrested last night have not yet secured attorneys and had not been released up to press time today.

Market is Dull and Featureless

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET TODAY

	Today.	Yesterday.
Alaska Gold	53 1/2	52 1/2
American Smelter	107 1/2	108 3/4
American Sugar Rfg.	121 1/4	121 1/4
American Tel. & Tel.	121 1/4	121 1/4
Anacosta Copper	84 1/4	84 1/4
Atchafalpa	101 1/2	101 1/2
Baldwin Loco.	65 1/2	66 1/2
Baltimore & Ohio	73 1/2	73 1/2
Bethlehem Steel	21 1/2	21 1/2
Calif. Petroleum	21 1/2	21 1/2
Canadian Pacific	159 1/2	159 1/2
C. M. & St. P. (St. Paul)	75 1/2	75 1/2
Colo. Fuel & Iron	53 1/2	53 1/2
Cruible Steel	81 1/2	81 1/2
Electric Common	26 1/2	26 1/2
General Electric	158 1/2	158 1/2
General Motors, New	111 1/2	111 1/2
Great Northern Pfd.	107 1/2	107 1/2
Inter. Harv., N. J.	46 1/2	46 1/2
Kennecott Copper	64 1/2	64 1/2
Lehigh R. R.	64 1/2	64 1/2
New York Central	92 1/2	92 1/2
Pennsylvania	53 1/2	53 1/2
Ray Consol.	29 1/2	29 1/2
Reading Common	97 1/2	97 1/2
Southern Pacific	93 1/2	93 1/2
Studebaker	82 1/2	83 1/2
Texas Oil	214 1/2	214 1/2
Union Pacific	137 1/2	137 1/2
U. S. Steel	131 1/2	131 1/2
Utah	11 1/2	11 1/2
Western Union	93 1/2	93 1/2
Westinghouse	52 1/2	52 1/2

*Bid. †Ex-dividend. ‡Unquoted.
SUGAR.
SAN FRANCISCO, June 16.—Sugar, 96 deg. test, 5.89 cents. Previous quotation, 5.83 cents.

FRESH OUTBREAK OF ANTHRAX GIVES MAUI SOME FEAR

(Special Star-Bulletin Wireless.)
WAILUKU, Maui, June 16.—Two more cases of anthrax, both in different localities, and two miles from the original outbreak, have been discovered. The spread is suspicious.

Word received today by the board of agriculture and forestry that two more deaths from anthrax—a calf and a sheep—had occurred on Maui makes it probable that the quarantine area which already includes some 500 acres of the Haleakala ranch will be enlarged to cover a considerably greater portion of the Valley Island. These two deaths occurred in localities other than those where the first outbreak was the calf dying on the place owned by Miss Nellie Crooks at Makawao and the sheep in a paddock just below the Haleakala ranch. Both are mauka of the original outbreak, and the former is at least three and one-half miles distant. The latter is perhaps two miles from Makawao.

Dr. Victor A. Norgaard, territorial veterinarian, was to leave this afternoon for Maui, taking along more material to combat the disease and microscopic apparatus to study it. Dr. J. C. Fitzgerald is already on the scene. It is understood that the bodies of the animals were burned soon after they had died.

Arthur H. Rice, president of the board of agriculture and forestry, said today that an effort will be made to bring a number of veterinarians from the coast if conditions in the new few days seem to warrant it. The fact that the disease is scattering makes it harder to combat, but there is no